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In re application : Zuheir L. Audeh et al.
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 BIOMOLECULAR ANALYTICAL, PREPARATIVE AND
 IDENTIFICATION SYSTEMS
 Examiner : Kartic Padmanabhan
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated September
 16, 2002, Applicants submit the following remarks.